


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Dear Sir:

Assignee has timely filed the following response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed May 19, 2009 (the "Notice"), and for the Examiner's convenience, Assignee resubmits the response to non-final Office Action mailed on April 24, 2009. Assignee respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of the present claims in view of the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this response.

Remarks and Arguments begin on page 6 of this response.